

## Marc Gorelnik Biography

Mr. Gorelnik is an appointed at-large member from California. He is serving his first term that will expire on August 10, 2019. Mr. Gorelnik has fished recreationally in California since he was a kid in Southern California. He now fishes offshore of the San Francisco Bay area for salmon, tuna, groundfish and Dungeness crab. Mr. Gorelnik serves on the board of directors of the Coastside Fishing Club, Golden Gate Salmon Association and the California chapter of the Coastal Conservation Association. With the Coastside Fishing Club, Mr. Gorelnik began a salmon acclimation program at Pillar Point Harbor that has improved salmon harvests by commercial and recreational fishermen in California and Oregon.

Mr. Gorelnik is a member of the State Bar of California. He practices trademark, unfair competition and copyright law and is admitted to practice before the Federal and Ninth Circuit Courts of Appeal and the district courts of California. Prior to attending law school at the University of California, Davis, Mr. Gorelnik was a project manager and member of the technical staff at Hughes Aircraft Company's Santa Barbara Research Center. He earned a Bachelor of Science degree in Physics and a Master of Science degree in Scientific Instrumentation from the University of California, Santa Barbara.

Mr. Gorelnik has served on California's Dungeness Crab Task Force and worked with the California Fish and Game Commission to improve regulations governing the recreational harvest of salmon and Dungeness crab. Prior to his Council appointment, Mr. Gorelnik served on the Council's Salmon Advisory Subpanel.